



CARROLLTON CIVIC WOMAN'S CLUB

July 2005 Newsletter

Upcoming:

General Meeting

Wednesday, July 27
11:30 a.m.
Sunset Hills Country Club

National Korean War Veterans

Armistice Day

Wednesday, July 27
Flags half-staff till sunset

Conservation Dept. Meeting

Monday, August 1
11:30 a.m.
Eleanor Hoomes's House

Board Meeting

Thursday, August 11
10:00 a.m.

International Students' Picnic

Tuesday, August 16
6:00 p.m.
Tanner State Park

Fall Institute

August 27-28
Pineisle Resort,
Lake Lanier Islands

Next Anne Hill Book Club

Thursday, September 1
10:00 a.m.
Location TBA

Salad Luncheon/Silent Auction Fundraiser

Tuesday, October 11
First United Methodist Church

TOPS

Mondays, 1:00-2:00 p.m.
TMC Women's Center

Next General Meeting

Wednesday, July 27, 11:30 a.m. / Sunset Hills Country Club

Our guest speakers will be **Rita Gentry** and **Katie Stallings**. Rita Gentry is Executive Director of the Youth Leadership Academy for juniors and seniors at Carrollton and Carroll County high schools.

Katie has participated in the CLEW workshop and the HOBY seminar in Atlanta. She will be a member of the Youth Leadership Academy this fall.

Helon Styles arranged the program.

Actions Taken by Board on July 14

Accepted the resignations of **Betty Collins Jones, Sandra Moore, and Shirley Plunkett**

Approved **Marianne Wilson's** request for inactive status

Approved Home Life's proposal for sale of salad recipe booklets at the October 11 salad luncheon. Proceeds will go to the Ferst Foundation Childhood Literacy Program.

Linens for Live Oaks Shelter

New white or off-white twin bed linens are needed for the Live Oaks Shelter. Bring donations to the July general meeting.

CCWC Float Wins

The CCWC float won first place in the Civic Club division in Carrollton's July 4 parade. The prize, a handsome plaque, is on display in **Micki McDonald's** office at the Carrollton Cultural Arts Center.

Congratulations to Micki and the Arts Department, who coordinated the project, and thanks to **Clancey Haslam** and **Jeri Rasey** and to all the members and members' husbands who participated. Special thanks to **Brenda Rice** for lending her trailer and to **Bradley Rice** for driving.

Juanita Cobb passed away on June 22. She was a charter member of the Carrollton Civic Woman's Club.

Club Concerns

Jayne Sanders is home from the hospital.

Mary Vandiver is recovering from neck surgery.

Records

Remember to keep an ongoing record of your club activities. It's much easier to jot things down throughout the year than to try to remember them all when record sheets are due in November.

International Picnic

***Tuesday, August 16
6:00 p.m.***

Tanner State Park, Pavilion 3

- Rain or shine
- No parking fee
- Cool and casual dress
- Husbands invited

The Club will furnish fried chicken and drinks. Members are asked to bring vegetables, salads, breads and desserts. Last year's attendance was about 125, so plenty of food is needed.

Donations for the international students' "lending closet" are also requested. Items should be clean and in good condition. If you have things to donate but can't go to the picnic, call **Beverly Britt** after August 12. Parents of students attending past picnics have been so grateful for the hospitality

shown their children—let's make this year's event another success.

Department and Committee Reports

Arts: The CCWC is now a member of the Carroll County Cultural Arts Alliance (CCCAA).

Remember to keep up with your hours of involvement in the float project.

Conservation: The Department will meet at Eleanor Hoomes's house at 11:30 on Monday, August 1. Please call Eleanor to let her know that you are coming. Bring your salad recipe to the meeting.

Home Life: The Home Life Department encourages all members to consider what could be donated to the salad luncheon silent auction. Hand crafted items are always popular, and antiques or other items of value would be greatly appreciated.

If you have any questions, please contact **Sandra Law** (770-834-9019) or **Nancy Tunnell** (770-834-4419). The salad luncheon/silent auction fundraiser will be held Tuesday, October 11 at the First United Methodist Church. This year Home Life will compile a cookbook filled with recipes of the salads members prepare for the salad luncheon. The department will need the recipes no later than the September general meeting.

Public Affairs: 3,305 coupons worth \$3,072.84 were sent to

COMFLEACT for overseas military families.

A tour of homes is planned for December 4 from 2:00-5:00 p.m. for benefit of the New Hope Boys' Home. If you can show your home, please contact Public Affairs.

Friends of New Hope Boys' Home will purchase underwear, toiletries, school shoes, and school supplies for the boys this month; and Friends donated \$500 for allowances in July.

Store-bought snacks (homemade not allowed) are needed for care packages for soldiers in the Middle East. Suggestions: trail mix, breakfast bars, muffins, etc. If you can donate snacks, bring them to the general meeting in July.

History: The Club's oral history tape project has been completed.

Leadership: **Helon Styles** is compiling membership profiles for the Club. Please bring yours to the July general meeting.

Tallulah Falls: Please continue to donate "Labels for Education" from Campbell's soup and other qualifying products.

Ferst Foundation: Donations and registrations continue. The first shipment of books has been delivered.

Live Oaks Shelter: Valances will be assembled at **Karen Hartley's** office Saturday morning, July 23, starting at 10:00. Helpers are needed.



**Carrollton Civic Woman's Club
General Meeting
June 22, 2005**

President Martha Ann Saunders called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone.

Martha Ann Saunders, Penny Ayers, Laura Miller, and Karen Hartley presented the program on Ferst Foundation for Childhood Literacy.

President's Report

Martha Ann Saunders reported that the GaFWC Institute will be held at Pine Isle August 27-28. Registrations are due by August 5. Martha Ann has forms.

Officers' Reports

1st Vice President Gwyn Chesnut: Elizabeth Mitchell, granddaughter of Idys Overton, was welcomed as a guest.

2nd Vice President Martha Thurman: N/A

Recording Secretary, Martha Ann Saunders for Roberta Brown: Motion made to accept minutes as published.

Treasurer Karen Hartley: Ending bank balance \$10,466.62.

Old Business

Karen Hartley reported on Live Oaks Shelter window treatments. CCWC will do 39 windows. Karen and several members have prepared pre-cut fabrics to be picked up at the end of the meeting by those who had signed up for sewing. Others had signed up as helpers and will do the pressing for those who are sewing. The deadline for finishing the sewing is July 20. The finished treatments should be carried to SMI (M-F, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. On July 23, 10:00 a.m., Karen will meet with members to prepare the treatments for hanging. On July 25, the treatments will be hung. Sign-up sheets were passed around for both of these dates. Those sewing should make sure that the label indicating room number is attached to the finished treatment.

Department Reports

Arts, Micki McDonald:

- June 29 meeting at Micki's office in Cultural Arts Center for finalizing plans for Fourth of July Parade. 11:00 a.m.
- Several upcoming events at the Cultural Arts Center were reported.

Conservation, Eleanor Hoomes: No report

Education, Penny Ayers: No report.

Home Life, Nancy Tunnell and Sandra Law: No report

International Affairs, Beverly Britt and Elaine Shivers: Lending box items for the international picnic on August 16 can be brought to Beverly Britt's home for storage at any time this summer.

Public Affairs, Edith Maxwell:

- Letters of thank you received from Emergency Shelter for toiletries.
- 3,032 coupons worth \$2,915.33 mailed to COMFLEACT in May for military families overseas.
- Care packages will be prepared in July for soldiers in Middle East. Packages of trail mix, breakfast bars, cookies, etc. are needed (homemade items are not allowed). If you would like to donate, please bring items to the general meeting in July.
- Jackie Ward reported on New Hope Boys' Home. The Christmas Tour of Homes will be on Sunday, December 4, 2:00-5:00 p.m.

Announcements

Samaritan House: Marjorie Hudson reported that the house is full at this time.

Inside Ministries: Margarette Hilley reported that this project is located at 505 Austin Ave. and office hours are 12:00-3:00 p.m. Volunteers are needed, especially mentors for aftercare programs. Also, leaders are needed for group sessions. Other needs include a contact person from each church, greeting cards, stamps, paper shredder, box fans, and financial support. The ministry is planning the publication of a booklet that will feature devotionals written by different individuals. The mailing address for this ministry is Inside Ministries, P.O. Box 1291, Carrollton, GA 30112.

Housing Authority: Idys Overton announced that juice and cookies are needed for the summer workshop for children.

CASA: Jackie Ward announced that advocates are needed for CASA. If interested, contact Jackie or Amanda Camp.

New Hope Boys' Home: Edith Maxwell announced that sponsors are still needed for boys' haircuts and allowances at New Hope. If you can help, contact one of the Friends of New Hope.

Edith Maxwell
Acting as Recording Secretary